GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RAILWAYS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1784
ANSWERED ON:08.03.2001
GAUGE CONVERSION OF CUDDALORE-VRIDDACHALAM-SALEM RAIL LINE
GADDE RAMAMOHAN

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government have recently cleared the gauge conversion project of Cuddalore-Vriddachalam-Salem line; and
- (b) if so, the details in this regard and the funds sanctioned for the project?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. The project was cleared by the Government in their meeting held on 7.2.2001. An amount of Rs. 6 crore has been proposed for this work in the Budget 2001-02.